

WEATHER FORECAST.  
Tonight and Sunday,  
fair.

# TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS  
SILVER \$1.12 1/2  
QUICKSILVER .996  
COPPER 22 1/2  
LEAD \$5.50

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## MEXICAN CRISIS MAY YET BE AVOIDED

### Courts Will Give Precedence to the Oil Test Suits

#### PORTLAND MEN BUY A GROUP

Portland men closed a deal this morning by which the International group of their claims passed into the hands of a strong company composed of San Francisco and Portland capitalists, including R. L. Francis, one of the most prominent men of the latter city. The claims were bought from Tyler G. Fortune.

The International is situated southwest of the Cornucopia group, three miles out on the Silver Bow road in a section where the surface showings promise as good results as anywhere in the divide district. The group will be prospected thoroughly before any plan for a shaft is selected and work will be pushed energetically with a complete modern equipment. The Cornucopia operated by a joint corporation of Oakland capitalists has a 22 foot ledge on the surface with another large ledge discovered at the shaft at a depth of 40 feet.

#### PARIS DICTATES BROWN TONES

Paris dictators August 16. The first display of styles since the war has been being attended by about 100 American buyers who however are showing themselves more independent of the dictates of French dressmakers than ever before. Brown, according to new models, is in marked favor and soft materials will be used generally. The design of the new models will tend toward a feminine appearance. American buyers are ridiculing the shortness of gowns, although stating that American skirts have been too long. It is said to be likely that American women will be offered a compromise on lengths.

#### BLOODY RIOTS IN LONDONDERRY

LONDONDERRY, August 16.—One soldier was hurt seriously, and heavy monetary loss caused by rioting and looting last night, and early today when troops charged the mob, who met then by a volley of stones when they attempted to stop a nationalist demonstration. The riot started when nationalists set fire to tar barrels collected by the British, an arch over which was displayed a picture of Edward De Valera, president of the Irish republic, and sang the "Soldier's Song." The Unionists responded with the national anthem. One force of troops kept the crowds apart while other detachments attempted to clear the streets. The nationalists finally were driven back to their own quarters. Windows were smashed and shops looted. The city was dark the entire night. Although several rioters were heard there to report of any persons being wounded. Troops declared they fired no shots. They asserted they advanced on the crowd with their bayonets raised in the air.

**TODAY'S WEATHER**  
By local observer United States Weather Bureau:  
Temperature: 5 a. m. 63° noon 81°  
Current 63° 81°  
Wet bulb 54° 58°  
Relative Humidity 59° 26°  
Temperature Extremes:  
1919 1918  
Maximum yesterday 89° 53°  
Minimum yesterday 69° 53°

#### SHOPMEN VOTE FOR A STRIKE

Associated Press. WASHINGTON, August 16.—Sentiment overwhelmingly in favor of a general strike is reported by officials of the National Shopmen's Union today on a walkout. This is scheduled for the twenty fourth unless officials at Washington come to an agreement with Hoover General Hines.

#### CONFERENCE ON ELY SITUATION

Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, August 16.—Senator Doyle, Nevada, Howell, representing the department of mines, and D. G. Jackson, mine engineer, were in conference here today in an effort to settle the strike of 1200 men at the Nevada Consolidated Mines at Ely. The men demand a change of work schedule and working conditions.

#### TRAFFIC TIED UP BY STRIKE

Associated Press. LOS ANGELES, August 16.—The Electric trolley service today may be suspended, and officials announced that motor bus service has been almost entirely suspended. The Los Angeles Railway company platform men also voted to strike today. They claim that 80 per cent of the men are out. The company claims that its service is 8 per cent normal but said the real test will come with later "show up" counts at various hours. Employees of both companies demand wage increases.

#### INTERBOROUGH EMPLOYEES REJECT WAGE RAISE

Associated Press. NEW YORK, August 16.—Employees of the Interborough Rapid Transit company have rejected a 10 per cent wage increase as insufficient and demanded a flat raise of 50 per cent. They threaten to strike tomorrow unless their demands are granted.

#### CHARLES C. STARR TAKES CHARGE OF DIVIDE MINES

Charles C. Starr has been appointed assistant to E. A. Julian, engineer in charge of the Broucher Divide and the Tonopah Divide as consulting engineer on the work, and will give his attention to the properties as Mr. Julian's duties elsewhere will not permit him to remain on the ground to look after the details of development.

Mr. Starr is no stranger in Tonopah having been connected with the Tonopah Mining company in 1905 after which he became associated with the Goldfield Consolidated and since then has been identified with the various mining interests of Mr. Wingfield. Lately he has been with the Ash Peak mine in Arizona, which is owned by Mr. Wingfield. Mr. Starr is a Yale-Sheff man.

#### MRS. LYNCH OPERATED ON AT ROCHESTER, MINN.

EM. J. Roberts has received a letter from Thomas J. Lynch, who is at Rochester, Minn., with his wife and family, stating that Mrs. Lynch was steadily improving after an operation performed last week. The patient cannot be removed for another month.

#### Negligent Neighbors



#### BEAN GRAFTING WAR SCANDAL

Associated Press. WASHINGTON, August 16.—A further president of the California Bean Growers' association told the senate and house agricultural committee that President Ruggles of the United States grain corporation was so incensed by evidence at a secret investigation of the food administration's purchase of beans during the war that he forced two employees of the administration to resign. Asked if the two had "been profiteering" under said he preferred not to divulge secret findings. The names were not disclosed.

#### WAS WITH KENNETH BOOTH THROUGH ARGONNE FIGHT

L. W. Hunsinger, traveling auditor of the Standard Oil Company with headquarters in Reno, is visiting the local station. Mr. Hunsinger was one of the few Nevada boys who fought shoulder to shoulder with the late Captain Kenneth J. Booth through the fierce engagements of the Argonne and expressed his great admiration for his dead officer whose bravery, he says could not be surpassed. Mr. Hunsinger added that Kenneth was the idol of his men who had the utmost confidence in his leadership. The visitor enlisted from his former home in Lovelock going to Camp Lewis.

#### VISITORS FROM SYLVANIA SPEND DAY IN TONOPAH

W. D. Clair and wife with their son Donald and Vera Clair and wife arrived last evening in their twin Packard from the property owned by the Bullion Consolidated Mining and Milling company in which they are largely interested. This ground is situated at Sylvania and a portion is under lease to the Big Ledge Divide company which begins operations next week. Associated with Mr. Clair are Truman Berry and Fred W. Hadley. The latter is president of the First National Bank of Whittier, Cal., while the former is ex-president of the United Verde Extension mines at Jerome, Ariz. The visitors make their home at Sylvania where they have established one of the finest camps to be found in the west.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license was issued this morning to Jesse A. O'Laughlin, of Sparks, Nevada, and Madeline Wilson, daughter of the auditor of the Tonopah Extension and former undersheriff of Nye county.

#### MILLIONS OF EGGS

Associated Press. ST. LOUIS, August 16.—The federal authorities have seized more than 16,500,000 eggs held for seven owners by the Mound City Ice Cold Storage company.

Associated Press. WASHINGTON, August 16.—William Cummings, British charge d'affaires in Mexico City, has been ordered to leave Mexico by President Carranza.

It is understood that Carranza's action resulted from a statement recently made in the house of commons by the British secretary that Britain had not recognized the Carranza government, and would not until there was some guarantee that the lives and property of British subjects in Mexico would be protected. It is believed in official quarters that the incident will have a marked effect on the policy of the British government toward Mexico.

Associated Press. MEXICO CITY, August 16.—The supreme court voted to give the writs asked by foreign oil companies a status of urgent importance, has placed them at the head of the calendar. Should they be granted, the presidential oil decrees against which the companies are fighting would be suspended and the petroleum situation remain a statu quo until congress acts on pending legislation. The court's action encouraged the hope that an international crisis may be avoided. The senate decided to begin work on petroleum legislation without waiting for similar action by the lower house. A committee of three justices has been named to classify 36 petitions, which have been appealed from the lower courts so the full bench can begin immediate study of the legal points involved. It is stated that consideration of the petitions will begin within fifteen days.

Associated Press. EL PASO, August 16.—Carranza will inform the Mexican congress fully regarding the relations with the governments of the United States and England in his annual message September first, according to an official news bulletin.

#### ORANGEMEN IN LADY DAY RIOT

Associated Press. BOSTON, August 16.—Ten Nationalists were injured in a fight Friday with Orangemen at Lishburn, following the Nationalists "lady day" celebration at Louth, serious rioting also occurred at Coal Island in which several policemen and military officers were injured seriously.

#### NEW OFFENSIVE BEGUN AGAINST THE BOLSHEVIKI

Associated Press. LONDON, August 16.—Several battalions of Bolshevik troops were wiped out in the new counter offensive of the northwestern Russian army along the river Luka, southwest of Petrograd, according to dispatches from Helsingfors, dated Wednesday. The Soviet forces also lost large numbers of machine guns and ammunition.

#### ANOTHER LEASE ON VERDI BEGAN WORKING TODAY

Nash & Eveleth, who have been granted a lease on the Verdi on a block adjoining that of the Ruffles-Pennington lease, began work today. The Ruffles lease is putting up a headframe while waiting for a compressor which was expected today.

#### PROHIBITION AMENDMENT WILL BE RE-DRAFTED

Associated Press. WASHINGTON, August 16.—The senate judiciary committee has ordered re-drafted the house prohibition enforcement bill which was reported favorably. It is expected that the senate debate will begin late next week.

#### FOODSTUFFS SEIZED

Associated Press. SAN DIEGO, August 16.—Seizing food stocks held in cold storage was begun here today by Deputy United States marshals.

#### RELEASED ON CASH BOND

M. J. Scanlon, accused of criminal syndicalism, gained his liberty today on furnishing a \$300 cash bond.

States and England in his annual message September first, according to an official news bulletin.

#### FIRST DIVISION LEAVES FRANCE

Associated Press. COBLENZ (Thursday), August 16.—The American first division, the first division to land in France and the captors of Cantigny, begin leaving the Coblenz bridgehead which the division has been holding will be taken care of by French troops and the eighth infantry regiment of the American army.

#### BIG INCREASE IN THE H. C. O. L.

Associated Press. WASHINGTON, August 16.—The department of labor made public today tables showing an increase of about 89 per cent in the cost of living from December 1914 to last June. The tables showed food and clothing increased 123 per cent in Los Angeles, and 134 per cent in San Francisco and Oakland. There were smaller increases in cost of housing, fuel and light, while miscellaneous items lowered the general average. The clothing increase was the greatest.

#### RUMANIA MUST BEHAVE ITSELF

Associated Press. PARIS, (Friday), August 16.—Rumania will not be permitted to grip Hungary, according to the draft of the supreme council's reply to last night's message from Bucharest which was completed today. The council informed Bucharest that fixing the amount of reparations to be made by Hungary as well as its distribution is a matter under control of the allied and associated powers and, until a final decision is reached, all war railway and agricultural material in Hungary and subject to distribution will be under the common administration of the allied powers.

#### DESTROYERS SPEED TEST ON PACIFIC COAST

Associated Press. LOS ANGELES, August 16.—Officially announced that the final acceptance trials of five torpedo boat destroyers attached to the Pacific fleet will be held within a few weeks off the southern California coast.

**BUTLER**  
THEATRE  
  
TODAY  
BERT LYTELL  
—In—  
"BLACKIE'S REDEMPTION"  
Story of the underworld—romance of the city and "Relly's Wash Day," two real Sennett comedy.  
  
TOMORROW—  
WALLACE REID  
—In—  
"TOO MANY MILLIONS"  
and Antonio Moreno in "Perils of Thunder Mountain." Monday, Dustin Farnum, Monday.